Religious Event Foretold Today.

Women With New Hats Lined Streets.

Hew the Churches Will Celebrate.

THE EASTER BONNET IN IT.

Weather forecast for Easter Sunday .- Fair and Warmer.

Had a Rip VanWrinkle awakened this morning from a long sleep he would have known that it was the day before Easter without asking any questions. From the middle of the forenoon until late in the afternoon there has been an army of women and the Sunday school. An antiphonal girls hurrying from various millinery stores with large packages which seemed to be of insignificant weight. The program will be entirely musical with packages were carefully handled as the addition of a short Easter address | 2020 PHYSICIAN DIED LAST though they contained something by Dr. G. J. Edgeninbe precious and they did -- Easter hats.

The religious festival will be observed in all the city churches tomorrow. The first service of the day will be held at the Congregational A double quartet will give "Benedict 1 avesa wife and on adopted daughter. church at 6 o'clock which will be a Mea" by Stearns: a trio, of "Loving Dr. Parker was oore in New York union sunrise prayermeeting of the Will the Token" by Schuman will be state in 1821 and in 1852 set ten in St. young people's societies of the city. Announcements of the church programs are as follows:

Holy Trinity Episcopal church Rev. Frederic Wetham, rector. Special Easter music at all services at the regular hours tomorrow.

Second Baptist church-Morning sermon by Rev. B. Brown of Dowagiac. Easter program in the evening by the Sunday school.

First Baptist church-The Easter | ident has accepted it, to take effect program tomorrow morning and even- May I next. ing will be as follows: Doxology: invocation; hymn: responsive reading, 115 Peaim: scripture lesson: prayer: anthem, "Christ the Lord is risen," (Hanens) with violin obligato played by Mr. Duffy; solos by Mrs. H. U. Rapp and Miss Whitehead: announcements: violin solo by Mr. Duffy, "Schubert Serenade;" offertory: hymn; sermon, "He is not here for he is risen, even as he said:" anthem, "Alleluia, Christ is risen," (Danks).

Evening: Fifteen minutes of song; scripture lesson: hymn; prayer; anthem, "Thanks be to God," (Danks); announcements and offertory, hymn; ser-mon, "The new woman and her opportunities:" ladies' quartette, "Those Evening Bells," (Wilder), Misses Whitehead, Minnes, Osborne and Mrs. H. U. Rapp.

Y. M. C. A.—Prof. W. B. Parker will address the men's meeting tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock upon the subject, "Some Old-Time Working Men." Mrs. A. W. Nelson will sing.

Christian church—Preaching in the morning by the pastor Subject, "The The Retiring Private Secretary to the Resurrection." Evening, 'From Pit to the Stronghold." Easter music.

Universalist church—Rev. A. K. Beem, pastor. There will be special Easter services tomorrow morning and decoration, the design being, "The Gates Ajar." The choir will render some excellent music in their characteric way. The sermon will be, "The Human Easter," followed by giving the hand of fellowship to those wishing to indentify themselves with the church movement. The Y. P. C. U. (6:30 p. m.) will consider "The Newness of Life." Leader, Miss Lina George. A concert will be the attract on in the evening. Prof. C. J. Parrant will favor us with several violin solos.

Presbyterian church-Easter services in the morning. The pastor, Rev. E. A. Hoffman, will preach an Easter sermon, and the choir will render special music. In the evening the exercises will be in charge of the Sunday school. The boys' choir will sing at both services.

Congregational Clurch-Morning service at 10:30, the members of Malta Commandery, Knights Templar, wiil attend in a body. Following is the program prepared for the service:

Voluntary, organ; doxology, choir and congregation: invocation, the Lord's prayer and Gloria: responsive reading; hymn, "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name;" scripture reading; quartette, "Behold the Lamb of God," Mrs. W. J. Cady, Mrs. A. P. Cady, Miss Clara Edmunds, Mrs. J. C. Cole; Clara Edmunds, Mrs. J. C. Colo; prayer; soprano solo, "The King of Glory," Mrs. Charles Stone; notices

and offertory. In the evening the services will be in charge of the Sunday school class of Mrs. R. M. Jones, who will hold a memorial in honor of the late Bert

St. John's Catholic Church-Ser-

vices at 10:30 and 7:30. A new mass

#### NOT A CONGRATULATION FROM BUCHANAN FRIENDS.

The Hon, George B. Cortelyou was appointed private secretary to President Mc-Kinley yesterday and among the num- Practically in Hands of Supervisor erous telegrams of congratulation he re-

ceived none came from Buchanan. was scheduled to stop at Buchanan last again until Cetober Buchanan turned out in force to see the time.

president but only saw his train fly by. In view of the fact that the other two They also saw Mr. Cortelyou standing on members of the bailding committee the platform waving his hand at them. The saluation might have been returned porvisor Taimage of this city, who is in a 25 cent telegram.

who didn't catch a glimpse of Mr. Cortel- repairs on the buildings. The former you his picture is given herewith.

#### has been arranged and under the leader. Miss Elizabeth Hansen, some EXPOSITION beautiful selections have been chosen. The members of the choir are the Misses Mary and Josephine Hansen, Messrs. Otto Shriver and Joseph Weckler, with Miss Kate Hansen as

church will be under the auspices of

The two anthems to be responsively

Kennedy, Earl and Warren

George B. Cortelyou, of New York,

HON. JOHN ADDISON PORTER.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Horse Threw Him.

oy a horse he was riding throwing him

Old papers for sale at this office.

sprained

it Butzbach & Schaus.

By Telegraph to Evening News. Paris, April 14.-The Paris exposi-First Methodist church: The music tion opened at noon today. The Sunday evening at the Methodist weather is very favorable.

#### service will be given, a large chorus in the gallery will sing responsively with DR. PARKER IS DEAD

NIGHT.

The two anthems to the responsibility of the specific for forty-eight ung are "Hosanna" by thekson and the property of the forty-eight white Your Glad Voices" by Davis, years a resident of St. Joseph. died at An Easter carol, with trio, by chorus choir, solo by Mrs. Baitinger. "The his home on the Lake Front last night quested and that they had discussed King of Glory" by Whitney Comb. latter an area

sung by Mesdames Hurlburt. Road and Joseph for the practice of his chosen VanHorn with violin accompaniment profession after attending and gealuby Miss Bernice Morehouse. A ladies ating from the Western University of quartet "Christ is Risen" by Gabriel Cleveland, On o hits practice in St. will be sung by Mrs. Reed, Misses Joseph was large and he was recognized as the le-ding physician of this PRESIDENT'S NEW SECRETARY, section of the country. In 1880 the doctor retired from public of a naving gained considerable property and it re-Washington, April 11.--Owing to conclude the greater pair of his time to look after his property. Besides sevitioned ill health, Hon. John Addison eral houses and lots in St. Joseph he May 3. Porter, secretary to the president, has awns the Parker block, the Twin City tendered his resignation and the press hotel and a fine farm south of this city. well. Dr. Parker insisted upon visiting his farm and in so doing contracted a severe cold which ended in pneumonia

> tion ne continued to grow worse. When Dr. John Bell first came to this section of the country he went in partnership with Dr. Parker and later located in this city.

> and in spite of the best medical atten-

The funeral will be held from the family residence Monday at 2 o'clock.

What She Was After.

have the dollar .- Puck.

Chappie-So she told you I was as bright as a dollar? She-Yes; but she said she'd rather

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Easter Monday Social.

The program for the Easter Monday social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. the present assistant secretary to the L. McClave. 131 Britain avenue, is not president, has been appointed to the fully completed but the following numbers may be expected and perhaps others: At 3:30 p. m. a piano solo by evening. Among other fine features will be that of an artistic floral decoration, the design being, "The Carative Bromo Quiatre Tablets All Mrs. F. B. Christopher; five minute druggsts refund the money if it fails to cure addresses by Revs. Maxfield, Cogshall checkers, and Cady and a talk by Miss Emily A. and Cady and a talk by Miss Emily A. Sweeting, president of the county W. C. T. U.; vocal music by Mesdames Whitten Mc Lin, son of Dr Mc Lin W. J. Cady, A. P. Cady, J. C. Cole and was quite seriously hurt this morning Mrs. J. N. Reed.

At 8:30 p. m. a plano solo by Miss Artilia Bell, addresses by Revs Hoffto the ground. It was a first thought man and Beam; mandolin music by the that his leg was broken but after an Misses Foster; readings by Misses examination it was found to be severely Kessler and Edgeumbe; solos by Mis-Fronia Whitehead and Mr. Daigneau Early Ohio seed potatoes can be had J. H. Lee. Buns and other attractions from 3 to 6 and from 8 to 10. The wives of city pastors will assist the W. C. T. U. ladies in receiving:

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Gold Dust Washing Powder and soak a blanket in it for han an hour; then simply move it around the soiled spots; rinse in warm water of the same temperature as the one in which you wash it, hang up in a warm place or conshiny outdoor are and see what a soft, white blanket you will have.

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#### CARE OF COUNTY BUILDINGS

Talmage.

This was mean. Buchanan knows Mr. The board of supervisors adjourned Cortelyou. When the president's train this forenoon and will not be in session

fall on the way from Three Oaks to Wash- At the session this for enoon, the last ington it was Mr. Cortelyou who was in smallbox bill was allowed and there is charge of the arrangements. It was his not a member of the board that is not word which stopped the train and made it thankful that this matter is at last straightened up, as several of these bills have been hanging tire for some

wed at the other only of two county it was decided this morning that Sualso a member of the committee, should For the benefit of the Buchanan folks act as the chairman and look after the ouilding committee, with Thos. Walker as chairman has allowed things around the court house to take care of themselves and when repairs were needed it would sometimes be weeks before they were attended to. This morning the board voted the sum of \$600 to the building committee to be used for repairs, and the committee went through the buildings and found that it would take every cent to put them in shape. There is no doubt but what Mr. Talmage is the right man in the right

Clork Needham was authorized to advertise for bids for printing the proceedings of the board

A new way was adopted for the alowing of bills Instead of the clerk lrawing the order- from the original bills he is given an order from the tinance committee and pays the bill from the order.

The cerk of the board was authorized to notify the state tax commission that the board had met as they had rehe new law and thought that they understood it thorough's and would endeavor to follow it closely. Each supervisor was supplied with the necessary blanks which the taxpayers will be compelled to fill out

#### TO ASSIGN SEATS **NEXT WEEK**

May 3.

It has now been decided that the Last Moncay, although not feeling | Bell opera house will be opened May 3. though the attraction has not been deeided upon. Next week the sents for the opening entertainment will be as-

It will be remembered that the citizens subscribed \$5,000 for the construction of the opera house. The subscription contracts read that the price of the tickets was to be paid as soon as the building was enclosed. Up to the present time only half of the amount subscribed has been paid in. This does not speak well for the subscribers or for the city.

### Notice to Hunters G.W. Closson Rice & Massey and Trappers...

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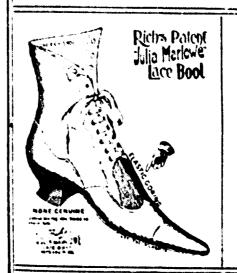
What would the Bard of Avon say if he were to re isit the earth and behold the wonders of the in-coming Twent ith Century, the most marvel ous of which is the telephone? With the to ephone on can talk and

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#### **BRING IN** YOUR BOYS

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#### BRING IN THE BIG BOY

We have some nice, nobby things for him also.

#### AND FOR MEN

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#### .. Boys' and Men's Easter Hats..

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Is also a point where we have laid lots of stress. We have made the effort of our lives this season to put in all the fancy and staple Hats and Caps for both men and boys. We never forget to mention the "Korrect Shape" Burt & Packard shoe, that is known the world over for solid comfort, durability and style. Remember we fit you from the ground up and guarantee every article.

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#### TROOPS EN ROUTE TO ITS ASSISTANCE

-Little Cause for Uneasiness-Boer Losses During the War Estimated at 12,000.

London, April 14.—The war office has received the following dispatch from

"Bloemfontein, April 13.-The enemy's movements south have been checked. Wepener is still surrounded, but the little garrison is holding out well. Troops are being moved to their assistance. The health of the troops is good and the climate perfection."
No Cause for Uneasiness.

London, April 14.—The Bloemfontein corespondent of the Daily Mail, telegraphing Thursday, says: "There is nothing whatever to cause uneasiness. It will presently be seen that the Boers are just where we want them. In a word, we are all right,"

Repulsed with Heavy Loss.

withstood a heavy attack on Monday and again a night attack on Tuesday and on Thursday there was a continuous shell and rifle fire. Denial from Hay.

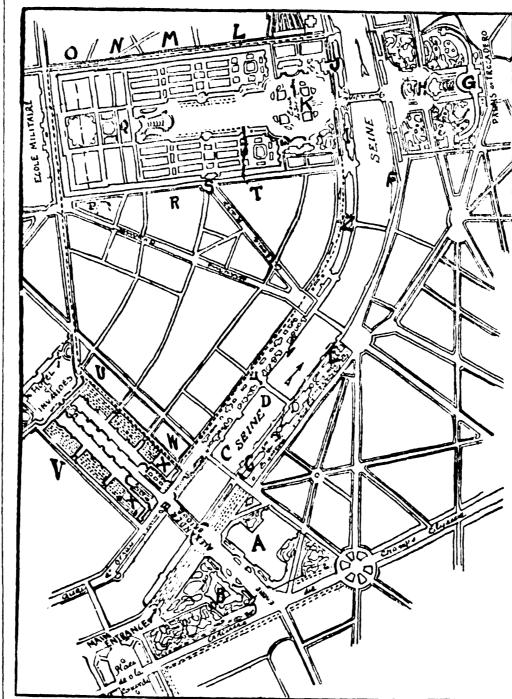
Pretoria, April 11.-United States Consul Hay, in an interview had here. says that the report that Capt. Reichman, the United States military attache, participated in the fight near Sannas Post is absolutely false. Capt Reichman, it is said, was occupied most of the time attending upon the wounded Dutch military attache, Lieut. Nix, who has since died.

Consul Hay has no doubt that Capt Reichman has been confounded with the American Lieut, Loosberg, of the Free State artillery, who took a very active part in the fight.

#### THINKS HE'LL WIN.

Admiral Dewey Is Hopeful—His State ment Defining His Principles Not Yet Ready.

Washington, April 14.--Admiral Dewey's political statement will be ready to be given out for publication about next Tuesday. He is still waiting to hear from some of his goldstandard democratic friends in New Bloemfontein, April 14.-Accounts | York before giving out this importan; received here of the fighting of the document. He believes that he has betroops under Col. Dalgety, at Wepener. I hind him all the leading gold-standard show the Boers attacked them vigor- democrats in the east and south. In ously, but were repulsed with great conversation with his political friends



Plans of Grounds and Buildings of the Paris Exposition of 1900.

--- CIRCULAR BAILWAY.

A.-Grand Palace of Fine Arts. B-Small Palace of Fine Arts.

- C.—Payllion of the City of Paris.
  D.—Horticulture and Arboriculture.
  E.—Congresses and Social Economy.
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  G.—Trocadero Palace.
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- cantile Marine.

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crops.

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N.-Chemical Industries. O.-Agriculture and Food Products. P.-Festive Hall. -Festive Han.
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-Mechanical Processes.
-Threads, Yarns, Textile, Fabrics,
Clothing.

Clothing.
T.—Mining, Metallurgy.
U.—Decoration and Furniture.
Industries (Foreign Sections).
V.—Decoration and Furniture.
Industries (French Section).
W.—Pavilion of National Manufactures.
X.—Invalides Railway Station.
- Y.—Palaces and Pavilions of Foreign Powers.

loss. The Boers subsequently relinquished the attack, and it is said here they are returning northwards. Boer Losses.

London, April 14. The Daily Mail publishes the following dispatch from Lourenzo Marques: The actual Boer losses to the end of March, including prisoners, are estimated at 12,6-9. At present there are several thousand tectorate. Boers in Natal, and 35,000 in the Free

Movements of the Boers.

London, April 14.- The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Morning Post, telegraphing Thursday, says: The enemy have evidently determined to adopt entirely new tactics. Two colunins are known to be moving to the south of Bisemiontein. They are relying on Cape carts for transport, and are carrying scarcely any forage and only sufficient food to meet the immediate requirements of the convoy, with ox transports following at a secure distance. The Boer columns are thus enabled to move almost as quickly as cavalry. It is reported that there are 9,000 Boers to the south of De Wet's dorp. The force extends from that point to Odendahl. The burghers who had returned to their farms are undoubtedly rejoining the enemy.

Apparently Checked. London, April 14.-Mr. Spenser Wilkinson, discussing the military situation in the Morning Post, says: "The objective of the 9,000 Boers south of De Wet's dorp is either Col. Dalgety's force, the bridge at Bethulie, or the country south of the Orange river. Whatever its object, Lord Roberts has apparently checked it; and, if so, the equipment and reorganization of the British force can proceed uninterrupted and the new campaign will shortly begin on the initiative of Lord Rob-

Surrounded by Boers,

London, April 14.—The Times has has been surrounded by some thou- acter.

he says he is a Jeffersonian democrat On the expansion question Admira! Dewey occupies middle ground between the president and Mr. Bryan. He believes in restoring order in the I hilippines and then holding the islands and awaiting developments, probably in the end turning them over to a native government under a United States pro-

The admiral continues to receive a large amount of mail daily from prominent men in all parts of the country, principally from business men and gold standard democrats. He believes that New York will send uninstructed delegates to the Kansas City convention; that the New Jersey delegates can be controlled in his favor, and that he will have support from many other states.

Deserted His Sinking Ship.

New York, April 14.—At the bottom of the sea outside of Santo Domingo harbor the wreck of the French steamer Georges Croise has lain for more than two weeks. In it are the bodies of four men. The captain, Francisco Cathrien, is alive, but no one knows his whereabouts. He is said to have deserted his doomed ship and the people that were aboard of it. The Clyde line steamship New York, which arrived Friday night, brought the story of the

#### Tragedy in Tennessee.

Bakerville, Tenn., April 14.—Joe Stringer on Friday killed his wife by choking her to death, and then committed suicide. Stringer used a doublebarreled shotgun on himself, his brains being blown into an adjoining room. The couple had been separated, and Stringer had called on his wife, seeking a reconciliation.

Killed by a Woman.

Little Rock, Ark., April 14.—At Alex ander Friday Mrs. T. N. Holland shot and instantly killed William Cook, a the following from Jammersberg, member of a prominent family. Mrs. dated April 13: Col. Dalgety's force | Holland claims Cook defamed her charIf you didn't we would ask you to call infandsexamine our exquisite line of

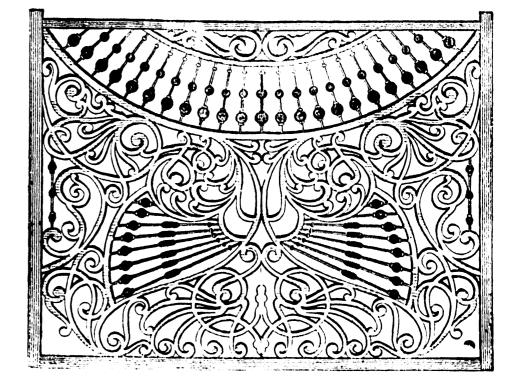
## Saster Hats

Which were pronounced by all who saw them perfect dreams of loveliness.

Place your order early is the advice we would give all ladies who wish their hat for Easter.

### ... Madame Parks

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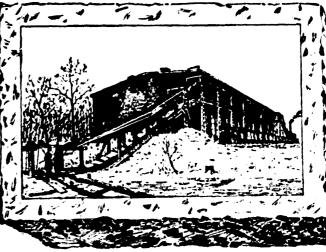


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#### THE FIRST EASTER.

In the end of the Sabbath as it began to dawn toward the first day of the week, came Mary Magdalene and the other Mary to see the sepulchre. And, behold, there was a great earthquake, for the angel of the Lord descended from heaven and came and rolled

His countenance was like lightning and his raiment white as snow. And for fear of him the keepers did shake and became as dead men. And the angel answered and said unto the women, Fear not ye, for I know that ye seek Jesus, which was crucified

place where the Lord lay.

#### MICHIGAN.

The Sturgis' milling company has Coloma Village Board Receives

Rev. C. M. Sheldon of Topeka, waonce a barefooted boy around Lansing. gational church of that city.

death rate being 15.4 per 1 000 popula accepted by a vote of 4 to 2. tion. The rate for the same month at Before the bond was accepted the year ago was 16.5.

The officers of every grange in Mich-

this amount \$574.20 was expended for the jury, \$127.50 for fees of officers.

Michigan pensions were granted Thursday as follows: Original-Tnomas E. H. McLean, Omena, #6 Increase -Jesse C Robinson, Wixom, \$6 to \$8 Reissue-Albert H. Middleditch, Lum.

The factory of the sanitary nut food company at Battle Creek was burned

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Beach of Berrien Springs have just celebrated

county for 46 years. Judge George P. Wanty of the United States district court at Grand Rapids has appointed as commissioners Ira C. Jennings of Escanaba, Belmont Waplets of Ironwood and Henry Hoff-

man of St. Ignace. Kalamazoo district a sociation of W. H. M. S of the M. E church has re-elected the old officers as follows: President, Mrs. Julia A Rose of Kalamazoo; vice president, Mrs H. Gerow, Kalamazoo: corresponding secretary,
Mrs. E. M. Wheeler, Kalamazoo; The Only Michigan Congressman Who tressurer, Mrs. M. H. Pierce, Ot-ego; recording secretary, Mrs. Kate Baldwin, Plainwell.

#### "Good-bye Papa."

There were few dry eyes in the court room when the commission returned their verdict of "insanity." and the unfortunate man seemed to realize the gravity of his situation daughter came to him and reaching up put her chubby arms around his neck. Between her convulsive sobs came the pathetic words, "good-bye, papa, I guess I'll never see you

The mental breakdown which set-tled as a pall over this once happy family, came after years of concenhad sapped the brain and nerves of today. Mr. Howard says:
"The first trouble I noticed was

inability to sleep followed by general had to be taken to and from my stort in a carriage. Finally I had to give up and for five months was confined to the house with an attendant night and day. For seventeen days and nights I never closed my eyes in sleep. I was taken to a private asvlum but in a few days they brought me back again to die. A friend brought me a bottle of Dr. Miles' Nervine and persuaded me to try it. After taking one-half the contents I began to get some sleep, and when I had used three bottles I was able to return to my store. Had I taken have been spared months of agoniz-ing torture and an expense of nearly

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back the stone from the door and sat upon it.

He is not here, for he is risen, as he said. Come and see the

#### OVER A SALOON BOND

Protest.

George E. Schairer of this city will His father was pastor of the Congre- open a liquor store in Coloma May 1. At the meeting of the village council There were 3,133 deaths reported to this week he presented his bond signed the secretary of state for March, the by Louis and Daniel Muth and it was

following protest was read: To the honorable, the village counigan and a few others on the side have, cil of Coloma, Michigan. We, the unbeen appointed by Gov. Pingiee as dersigned taxpayers and citizens of delegates to the national farmers' con- said village, having in view the welfare gress to be held at Colorado Springs in of said village, its taxpayers, its eiti-August. The delegation numbers near- zens and the rights of persons that may nereafter have claims or grievances The Marsh trial cost about \$4,000 Of against saloonkeepers by virtue of the liquor law now in force in this state. witness fees, \$476 for the coard of respectfully protest to your honorable jurors during the period they were so body against your accepting or apquestered, \$170 to office to in the go of proving of the figure bond of George Schairer heretofore offered to you for up. your approval, for the reason the sureties thereon are possessed of insufficient financial responsibility. We would also respectfully insist that the law relative to the approval of liquor bonds should be strictly complied with. Signed, Sawyer Ball, John M. Worden, C. A. Allen, Edward Russ, N. J.

#### Millions Given Away.

Bailey, George A. Brown.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern which is not afraid to be generous. The proprietors The couple have lived in Berrien of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, nave given away over ten million trial bottles and have the satisfaction of knowing it has cured thousands of hopeless asses. Asthma. Bronchitis, La Grippe and all Throat, Chest and Lung diseases are surely cured by it. Cail on Lowe & Witherspoon, druggists and get a free trial bottle. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

#### **VOTE ON PORTO RICAN BILL.**

Voted No.

Congressman H. C. Smith of Adrian was the only member of the Michigan delegation who voted against the Porto Rican tariff bill The Grand Rapids Press says of his position:

"One Michigan congressman—H. C. mith-stood out against the Porto Rican bill and voted against it on the unal bailot. He was subjected to a heavy fire from administration strongas the heartbroken wife bade him holds and from his colleagues from his farewell. As the officers started to own state, but has been magnificently lead him from the room his little sustained by his constituents and can bear the attacks of the people at Washington with equanimity. It is doubtful if this Porto Rican matter will make any material difference in the loyalty of Michigan republicans to their party. prevailing dry winds have caused the Ointment for bleeding piles. For 15 Their partisanship is too deeply rooted wheat to go backward. Warm rains years I suffered misery that it would be to be easily shaken. Mr. Smith might, are needed, and unless they come soon impossible to relate I was operated therefore, have fallen in line with the the wheat crop will not fare very well. administration as so many other contrated nervous strain and overwork gressmen did without materially weakening his hold on his seat. In fact adtheir vitality. How different might ministration influences are usually a have been the ending had that fond strong factor in helping congressmen sill. He preferred to vote as his conscience dictated and deserves credit weakness, which cortinued until I for his determination. The handsome manner in which his constituents are coming to his support shows that conscience in the performance of public duties is appreciated and his experience ought to be a valuable object lesson for other Michigan congressmen.'

#### Given Good Positions.

Columbus, O., April 14.—Gov. Nash has appointed Hon, M. D. Ratchford, of Massillon, state commissioner of labor statistics, and Hon. Elmer C. Briddison, of Athens, state inspector of mines the nervine in the first place I would | president of the United Mine Workers | physicians.

#### Beath of a Centennarian.

Pana, Ill., April 14.-Mrs. Bridget Friday. She has h in a resident of Mich. Digests what you eat. Cannot 50c a box, all druggists or Dr. A. W. Pana for over 50 ye

#### PINGREE KNEW ALL THE TIME

Where Col. Sutton Got the Troublesome \$6,000.

contains the following interview with hoped to earry into effect at the inter-Gov. Pingree regarding the coming national agricultural conference an Sutton trial, which is interesting:

Gov. Pingree stepped off the train from Lansing last evening in high good humor. He had written his name not sell a bushel for less than a nollar. about 600 times while in Lansing, he J. C. Hanley, of St. Paul, Mann, excess said, to various orders and letters, "I live agent of the Farmers' Albance

mission to take the testimony of Tom ciation is the chief promoter and L. Johnson in his case today," was said to the governor.

So I understand. The attorneys for the prosecution jumped at a chance to University of Fribourg, Switzerland, is go to New York. That suited them the chief promoter of the plan in Eu-

"Sutton claims that he received that money, the \$6,000 that has caused so has been interested in many hold-your much worry to the prosecution, of Tom wheat schemes, is prominently asso-L. Johnson.

"I knew all about that a long time ago," said the governor. "These fellows have now got around to the place they started. They started in to investigate the McLeod bill, and now they got around to begin, after all this time. They were going to catch Tom | tained they could easily master the L. Johnson, Ping and all the rest. and have us all in jail.

"Then Sutton obtained that money of Johnson in connection with the street car commission campaign in Detroit?" was asked.

"Yes: you can't do anything without money you know. It takes money to run any sort of a campaign.

"This was the explanation Sutton would have given the grand jury if he the farmers are to hold their wheat for nad been permitted to go before it a second time, I suppose?"

.. Y 1.35 The inquirer became a little factious ard remarked:

"How many people did the commision expect to corrupt with \$6,000 in a deal involving \$17,500 000. Johnson must take us for a cheap lot in De-

The governor smiled and did not voucesafe a suggestion along this ane. He said, however:

"There will be some disclosures in Sutton's trial that will be worth hearing. If they had tried him first it would have saved them some trouble. and some of these mysteries that bother them would have been cleared

#### RAILROAD RUMOR REVIVED.

Michigan Central Said to Have Bought Pere Marquette.

Michigan City Dispatch: There is a well defined rumor in railroad circles today that the Michigan Central has finally secured the Pere Marquette road. It is true that the company rewhich bears out the report. The connotified not to purchase spring uniforms yet, which would seem to her out the rumor of consolidation. To change is booked to occur May 1, if report is true. If the Central gets the road it is a wrong impression.

likely that the division point will be moved from New Buffalo to this city, which would bring a number of new families here and would increase the importance of Michigan City as a railroad center.

Michigan Central local officials know little of the reported absorption, but this is not strange, as the information hope the rumor is true and that the change will soon come to pass.

"Fortune Favors the brave., It is also favorable to those who purify their blood in the spring by taking America's Greatest Spring Medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla. A clear head and a healthy body are given by its use.

Constipution is cured by Hood's Pills.

#### Wheat Crop Outlook.

in the city Thursday and made the and suffering. He says:
"I would be very ungrateful if I did statement that wheat will not be over not make public the wonderful results a third of the crop this year. The I obtained from using Dr. Chase's

#### Does Coffee Agree With You?

pure grains. A lady writes: "The back and be worse than ever. For five first time I made Grain O I did not like years I was obliged to inject warm father known what Mr. George H. to secure a re-election, and no doubt it but after using it for one week water in order to pass anything, withhoward, of Marshall, Ills., knows Mr. Smith could have counted on this nothing would induce me to go back to out almost killing me and had to carry aid had he consented to support this coffee." It nour shes and feeds the a hot water bag when I went away system. The children can drink it from home. I might say a great deal freely with great benefit. It is the more about my suffering but my chief strengthening substance of pure grains. I thought is, I am entirely cured of this Get a package today from your grocer, terrible malady and two boxes of Dr. follow the directions in making it and A. W. Chase's Ointment did the work table beverage for old and young. 15c addressed to me at Frontier, Mich.

Nervous prostration? Yes, and locoat the bath house, East Main street.

The greatest of enemists compounded the Excelsior mineral water. It and mining. Mr. Ratchford is former cures chronic cases-ask our leading

"I used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure in my been known to fail. family with wonderful results. It gives immediate relief, is pleasant to Pana, Ill., April 14.—Mrs. Bridget take and is truly the dyspeptic's best eczema, salt rheum or any itching or Gormann, aged 102 years, died here friend." says E. Hartgerink, Overisel. burning or chaing of the skin, price full to cure. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

#### A FARMERS' TRUST.

Outlines of an Alleged Plan for an International Combine to Restrict Whent Production

Minneapolis, Minn., April 14.-The Journal says: All the farmers of the world in a sort of international trust to restrict the production of wheat The Detroit Tribune of yesterday and raise prices is the plan which it is Paris July 9 to 16. It is proposed to as a the farmers of the world to reduce their wheat output by 2 per cent, and signed another requisition presented by the adjutant-general." said he. "I for Growers' assiciation, the Varmers' don't remember what for "Federation of the Mississime Value "Sutton obtained an order for a com- and the National Grain Growers" ... international agricultural trust America, Prof. G Rubland, of the rope. The idea was conceived by these two men independently. Mr. Hanley ciated with the Farmers' elevator and various cooperative undertakings. He has long believed that if the farmers would only come to an understanding as to limiting production and agree to sell only when their price could be ob-Fituation.

While 20 per cent, reduction in acreage is desired, Mr. Hanley points out that if only five percent, can be secured the world's wheat crop will be reduced about 125,000,000 hashels, which is, he says, enough to bring the price at Liverpool up to one dollar. To help out the effect of a restricted production to days, and are to market it at not less than a dollar a bushel. "Almost everything the tarmer bays," Mr. Hanley said, "is regulated in price by some trust. On the other hand, all that the tarmer sells has its price determined by the competition of all the rest of the farmers of the world. The farmers propose to unite to stop ruinous com petition among themselves, and to make the world pay a fair price for their product." Following the Paris conference, it is hoped to have established a permanent international grain growers' association.

#### RAILROAD STRIKE.

Train Service Crippled on the S Officials Reticent.

Birmingham, Ala., April 14.-There is little change in the telegraphers' strike on the Southern system. Superintendent Wickersham, of the Alabama Great Southern railway, which experienced considerable trouble Wednesday, cently acquired three thousand addi- says that the places of the strikers tional shares of Pere Marquette stock, have been filled, and that all trains are being handled without delay. On the ductors running the Pere Marquette other hand, the telegraphers say that trains through this city have been other men have joined the strike, and some of the new men sent out by the railroad have returned to the city, stating that they went to work under

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 14.-Passenger trains are running on the Southern, Alabama, Great Southern and the Memphis divisions of the Southern railway with but little delay. The vacancies created by strikers in this city were filled by men in the freight office who were formerly telegwould come from headquarters. We raphers. The officials of the Southern say that by to-night they will have all trains running regularly, both freight and passenger.

Leads Many Well Known People to Praise Dr. Chase's Ointment.

Frontier, Mich., April 14.-Mr. W D. Bailey who has a general merchandise store here was cured of bleeding Niles, April 14.—A state agent was piles after 15 years of untold misery

on and tried hundreds of so-called remedies for my trouble, but as the best they only gave temporary relief, If not drink Grain O-made from then the pain and itching would come you will have a delicious and healthful |- f will willingly answer any letters

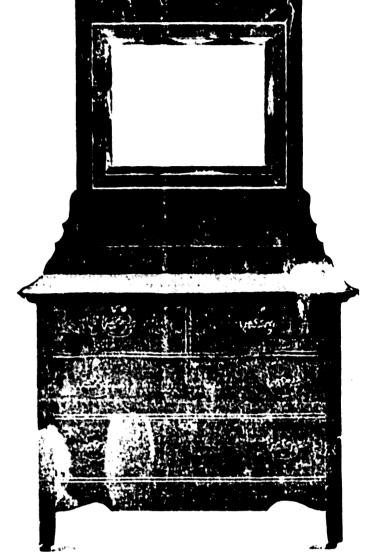
To prove the virtures of Dr. Chase's Ointment, Dr. Chase will send any sufferer a free sample box who will motor ataxia cured by the Excelsior Mineral baths. Several remarkable cases successfully treated this winter have to pay one cont until you prove its value. Write today.

Don't resort to expensive treatments or surgical operations when a positive and unfailing cure can be effected by a few weeks persistent use of Dr. Chase's Ointment. This remedy has never

Remember Dr. Chase's Ointment is guaranteed to cure itching piles, Chase Med. Co., Butfalo, N. Y.

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Small Store Small Expenses Low Prices and Small Profits for Cash Buyers



We offer on Monday, April 16, a large ash bedroom suit dresser like cut, regular price \$17. our price, only \$14.55.

#### Special Monday Sale on Baby Carriages and Go Carts



On Monday, April 16,we offer a 10 per cent discount on all Baby Carriages and Gocarts. Here is a Bargain.

Another Monday Sale.



We offer two lines of wheels. One a \$35.00 wheel, our Monday Sale price, \$20. One a \$25 wheel, our Monday Sale price, \$18. Look at these hangers. The \$20 wheel has this excellent onepiece hanger, and the \$18 wheel has the finest two-piece hanger made.

## C. C. & Chester C. Sweet's

SPOT CASH STORE

137-139 Pipestone Street, Benton Harbor, Mich.

Baster Offerings

appreciate your trade. Can show you

Book Marks Baster Crosses Easter Silver **Easter Novelties** 

**Easter Hearts** 

Are always appropriate. Why can't I interest you in the prettiest line ever offered in either city? You don't know how much I will

The very latest and the very best. By the way we have a barrel of Sterling Silver stuff in our window that we are selling at half price.

The store without a sign. We never sleep.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY SUBSCRIPTION RATES:

Delivered in Benton Harbor or St. Joseph.

BY MAIL-One year, \$4; three months \$1; one month, 40c; in advance.

The Weekly News. Entered at the postoffice at Benton Harbor

as second-class matter.

OFFICE: 142 Pipestone Street.

TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.

SATURDAY, APRIL 14, 1900

of Pennsylvania Senator Burrows said:

tion of United States senators by the compass surfaces.

people. Possibly he wonders how he for any case of Deafness (caused by would have fared in his last campaign, matarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's under that rule. The majority of people, however, would like to see Quay seated if it would bring about the result pictured by Senator Burrows. The people would shut their eyes and take Quay the same as they would the concections of a dector.

mer and before the transfer the mill calried an insurance of \$300,000 or in that neighborhood. The insurance companies have been cutting down the DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the no companies very anxious to carry the ness, liver and bowel troubles." risk. This is on account of the fact M Bell & Co.

RICABY, St. Joseph

THE EVENING NEWS. that the insurance people have an idea that the mill will shut down. The mill is now running with only half a force.

> THE farmers of the northwest have changed their minds about trusts. They have organized a movement to cut down the acreage of wheat 20 per cent and refuse to sell a bushel of wheat for less than a dollar. If the \$1 a year plan of forming this combine works then the political party which puts a trust plank in its platform will catch | the votes of the wheat growing states. Trusts are a bad thing unless you have an interest in them, seems to be the motto of the wheat growers.

#### Deafness Cannot be Cured

In his speech against seating Quay by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness. "Let me say to the senators that no i and that is by constitutional remedies. sooner shall you have established the Deafness is caused by an inflamed condoctrine contended for by the minority, lition of the mucous lining of the than there will be a popular uprising. Eustachian Tube. When this tabe in this country, which no power can gets inflamed you have a rumbling resist or suppress, to take from the sound or imperfect hearing, and when state legislatures and the governors all | t is entirely closed deafness is the recontrol over the election of senators suit, and unless the inflammation can and lodge it with the sovereign peo- be taken out and this tube restored to ts normal condition, hearing will be lestroyed forever; nine cases out of ten-Senator Burrows seems to think that are caused by catarrh, which is nothnothing could be worse than the elec-; ag but an inflamed condition of the

Wew iil give One Hundred Dollars Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75e. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Wisconsin Central Railway.

Trains now leave Chicago from Central Station, Park Row and 12th Street, Lake Front, connecting with C. &. W. THE trust has troubles of its own. M. and Michigan Central trains, for The Watervliet paper mill passed into St. Paul, Minneapolis, Ashland, Duluth and the Northwest. Nearest ticket the hands of the paper trust last sum- agent can give you further information. Jas. C. Pond, G. P. A., Milwaukee, Wis.

M. B. Smith, Butternut, Mich., says. amount of insurance and there are now very best pills I ever used for costive-

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Honor, praise, reno wn-every good thing America and Americans can bestow, was laid at his feet. The whole world took off her hat to him and yet he wanted to be president.

(Admiral Dewey)

(Wish we could get his wife to look through our store, think we could ring in quite a bill on the Admiral.)

What do you suppose they would think of this extension table?

POLISHED QUARTERED OAK. ABOUT THE PRICE OF THE ACORN THE OAK TREE GREW FROM......

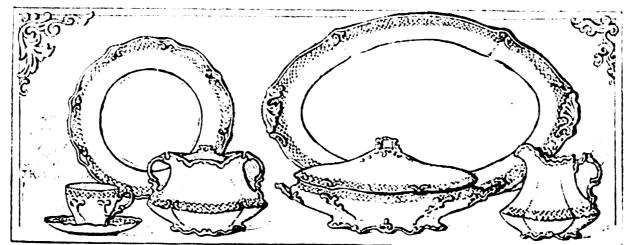




WORTH \$22.50 FOR \$15.00.

Dozens of others at just as good values from \$4.95 up.

One carload of Bed Room Suits nearly disposed of since January 1st of this year, and another carload expected this week. Endless variety of rockers and chairs. Sixty couches of every style and grade. Splendid couch 30 in. wide, 6 ft. 6 in. long. Warranted in every respect, worth \$12.00 to \$13.50 in every market for \$9.50.



Our crockery department is overflowing with good things. 100-piece becorated binner sets worth \$7.50 for \$5.00. Flacst imported 100-piece sets, equal to china, for \$15.00. Finest imported white porcelain \$7.75. Class tumblers for 10 cents a set. Lamps for 18c. complete. Chimneys for 5c.

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The man who don't read, And the man who can't see, And the man who keeps saying: "You'll have to show me." Is the man who will trade In Chicago.

C. J. Peck & Company,

115-117 Bast Main Street,

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BENTON HARBOR.



## EASIER SALE!

## .. Refined Elegance in Easter Millinery..

Scores upon scores of artistic masterpieces arranged in one Grand Beauty Show. advent of Easter finds us with an exhibition of trimmed hats unequaled. Prices range lower than usual and no lady will be doing justice to herself without first sec. gour display.

We are intent upon selling more hats this week than during any previous period of our business, and price, style and quality will be the features of our inducements to you.



## No Charge for Trimming This Week.

Easter Sale of

### MADE Suits and Skirts

Ours is not the largest line, but we do claim to have the best fitting suits, skirts and jackets in this locality and not a single garment that we do not guarantee strictly up to date in every way.

**Suits**, \$5.00, 7.50, 9.00, 12.00, 14.00, 18.00, 20.00] Skirts. \$1.50, 2.00, 2.25, 2.75, 3.00, 5.00, 10.00

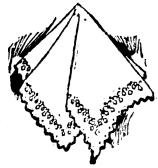


#### Easter Corsets

We are sole agents for the celebrated American Lady and during this Easter sale we place a big lot on sale odds and ends, at

50 cents each

Many worth up to \$1.25.



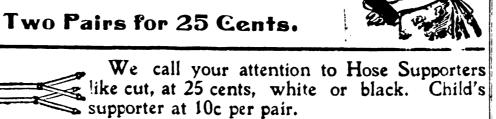
#### Easter Handkerchiefs

During this sale we sell 20 dozen fine linen hand-kerchiefs, lace edges, always sell for 25 cents each. Special Easter price, 16c eac

Easter Hosiery

We are showing the very best Hermsdorf dyed black hose that you ever saw for 20 cents.

15 Cents a Pair.





### Easter Ribbons

Our stock of ribbons is complete and for belts you will find our Taffetas and Double Faced Satins just what you

New Pulley Belt Buckles to go with the Ribbon.

.Easter Table



We make a special sale of Linens, Napkins etc., that you ought not miss. A big assortment of Linens, worth up to 85c,

At 55c per yard



#### ..FOR MEN.. Easter Ties, Sox and Suspenders

A big lot of new ties on sale at 35c. worth 50c.

New fancy sox in silk effect, reds and blues, at 25c.

Fine fancy suspenders, sale price, 15c.

#### Wrappers for Easter

See those dainty pink and blue Gingham Wrappers at \$2.00.



#### Easter

Embroideries We will sell all art embroidery linen at one-fourth off dur-

ing this week and all

Filo Embroidery Silk 3c Skein

#### Petticoats.

We are showing an unsurpassed collection of underskirts in mercerised goods and our leaders for this sale will be one with heavy corded flounce in black at \$1.

Il This Week at Warren's

110 East Main Street. Benton Harbor

#### BENTON HARBOR SHORT ITEMS

#### DATES TO RESERVE.

April 15-Easter Sunday. Special music in all the city churches. April 16-W. C. T. U. social at home

of M. L. McClave. April 16-Wide Awake hose company will give Easter ball at Conkey's. April 18-Dance at Conkey's hall Their Easter will last for eight days. given by John Brennan.

tion at Berrien Springs. April 19-Patrician entertainment at

Conkey's hall. April 25-Democratic county con-

vention at Berrien Springs. will give a cance in Conkey's hall chairs placed in cosition. Wednesday evening, April 18. An in-

will giv feir fourth annual dance at \$2,000 in the Des Moines company. hall on Monday evening. C. J. BROWN, formerly of this city.

for supper including a draw on the north of Grand Rapies. quilt, 15 cents. All are invited.

#### IN LOCAL BUSINESS CIRCLES.

Cal. sale Saturd Ly.

will hold a cake sale as the store of W. Heath D. Downey Saturday of this week. Go to O. E. Hoimes for amorella and

shoe repairing, 129 Pipestone St. 50:26 Rice's wall paper store is at 156 Pipestone street.

summer boarders? I am and am going use their goods. down this morning to see Rice & Massi wall paper and paints in the city and at the lowest prices.

#### Half Fare to Berrien Springs.

On account the republican county convention at Berrien Springs April county jail this morning. 18, the M., B. H. & C. railroad company will on that date sell round trip tickets at the rate of one fare.

Ask Prof. Snyder, Calvin Gray, Mrs. Cary, Mrs. F. B. Christopher or Mrs. J. H. Graham about J. P. Hamilton. the blind piano tuner, and then send and get him to do your work Bell phone 363, Twin City phone 442, St.

W. E. Kennedy's jewelry store, 104tf Hinkley, Mrs. George Morton, Mrs. E.

street, Benton Harbor.

It does not cost you anything to would donate one. There is yet a phone from Benton Harbor to St. local chance to help the good work by the seph. Call up 442, the I L & I R R donation of books o., and get a passenger rate before you buy your railroad tickets as you Grand Rapids this evening so as to be may save several dollars and lots of it the federal court Monday morning

1420 stone street.

Mrs. Harriet Evans, Hillsdale, III. THE Court of Honor held a very inwrites, "I never fail to relieve my chil-teresting meeting last night C. L. dren from eroup at once by using One Simmons, state lecturer for Indiana, iele. Minute Cough Cure. I would not feel Michigan and Ohio, was present give safe without it." Quickly cure-coagh-. ! colds, grippe and a l throat and lung struction and information as to this diseases. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

nerve fibres and keep the stomach. Disad has at the present time about liver and kidneys in vigorous health. If 50,000 members. It is the largest. you take a course of Excelsion Mineral compared with age, of its kind in the Baths, East Main street.

mathrases about April 15. Orders for lent advantage which is that they perthis work should be left as early as mit women to join on the same condi-ABE ZELNER. 107 Michigan St., Phone 621.

Batinger frames pictures. 135 Pipe-

and never gripe." They gently cleaned funded and invigorate the bowels and liver. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

Benton Harbor Abstract Co. Abstracts of title, money to loan. Office, 104 Water street.

A pretty quilt will be given away at the W. R. C. 2t166

W. R. C. Easter supper at the G. A. t. hall tomorrow night.

lines of their goods. A LESTER has just completed and placed in position some artistic signs

for the Yellow Front Bargain store. TODAY is the Hebrew Easter and exercites were held in their synagogue

C. C. & CHESTER C. Sweet advertise

a special sale for Monday on several

THE barge Charles Reitz and tow April 18-Republican county conven- came in this morning with lumber for the Peters lumber and shingle company. This is the first trip of the sea-

THE first carload of chairs for the Bell opera house arrived here this morning. The scaffolding will be John Brennan and George Byers cleared away in one week and the

LEVI M. Gowens, formerly of Benvitation is extended to the dancing ton Harbor, died at his home near Covert and was puried Thursday of Wide Arike Hose company No. 2 this week. His life was insured for

A n. Music by Null's orchestra. C. J. BROWN, formerly of this city, now editor of the Elk Rapids Progress. has begun war on the practice in vogue The W. R C. will give an Easter in that city of pastoring cows on the sume tonight at the G. A. R. ball lawns. A few weeks ago Editor A beautiful quilt win be drawn by the Brown was proclaiming that Elk Rajone having the lucky number. Price ids was the only place on the map

INVERTIONS have been received here by the friends of Bert Tabor and Clarence Heath for the graduation exercises of the University of Himois, Physicians and Surgeons, which will The ladies of the Universalist church be held Wednesday evening. April 18. It will then be Dr. Tapor and Dr.

WILLIAM E. Scotten, of Detroit. president of the Scotten tobacco conspany, and L. Verdon, their agent, was ! in the city yesterday in the interest of i their new brand of tobacco known as Caurliac. The Scotten people are not Good morning, says Mrs. Rustier to in the trust, which fact should induce Mrs. Hustier, are you going to take the laboring men as well as others to

SHERITT Ferguson was called to passe train was relayed, and there was sey about painting and papering my Sodas this morning on account of a hortegary when it would get through house. They have the best stock of colored fellow who had a revolver and John second the opportunity to get off had his heart set on shooting someone The fellow's name is Robert Hale and yesterday he threatened to shoot some small boys who he said bothered him. The fellow was brought down to the

THE new steamer May Graham, which has been building at Preston's an idea occurred to me, Jones' destinayard, was successfully launened this afternoon. The machinery will be placed in position next week and the boat will be ready for the sammer business on the St. Joseph river. Captain Fikes, who has sailed the old May Graham for so many years, will have command of the new boat.

THE following persons have given Elk buttons and charms, the latest books to the public apprary this week: st les and designs, can now be found Mr. Ch. tock, Mrs. Plummer, Mrs. M. M. Sidmore, Mrs. F. Lewis, P. B. Rice's art store is at 456 Pipestone Chase. These books were given under the agreement with President Sonner that for every two books consted he

when it opens and present a petition | tains cast of Ponce | It was formerly If you have a house to rent or want for the dismissal of the bankruptey the resort of wealthy planters and your buildings, merchandise or furnibure Inspect to the Morrison has agreed to deed back. All the gambling games of the Meditary Inspect. ture insured, telephone Hubbard & Mr. Morrison has agreed to deed oack the Yore block upon the payment of terranean principality were in full \$200 and this is the cheapest way out of blast. Summer was the harvest time, the maddle in the opinion of the attor- for those who could afford it got Batinger the undertaker, 138 Pipes neys. Before the suit was started Mr Morrison wanted \$750 for his equity in ! the property.

young and growing order. The Court Bulger is a good deal more than life You will strengthen the delicate of flonor will be tive years old on July size. United States at the present time. It is organized along the fines of Modern I will be prepared to make over hair Woodmen of America, with one exceltions as are given the men.

#### A Card.

We, the undersigned, do hereby ful soothing and healing properties. agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Lewis Ackerman, Cosnen, Ind., says, Tar if it fails to cure your cough or Chase's Cintment is a wonderful ren-DeWitt's Little Early Risers always cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bot- edy for sain troubles I suffered somebring certain relief, cure my headaene the to prove satisfactory or money re- thing terrible before I heard of its

> J. A. Sheffield & Son. Dr. J. J. Fabry Howard & Pearl, G. H. Knaak.

The I. I. & I. R. R. Co. sells tickets to all points in the North, East, South and West. Before you buy tickets see their agents. It will be worth your

Rice's picture framing store is at 156 Pipestone street, Benton Harbor.

Old papers for sale at this office.

#### Real Estate Bargains

Lake Front Lots in Higman's Michigan Park, overlooking Lake Michigan.

Prices Moderate. Houses at \$700, \$900, \$1,000, 1,200, \$25,00

Fruit Farms, one three, five and ten acres and upwards adjoining the city. Vacant lots \$125 to \$1,000. Real estate in Benton Harbor is low. Call and see our list.

HIGMAN REALTY CO., Yore Block

Fine Cut and Plug

### Do not gripe nor irritate the alimen-

tary canal. They act gently yet promptly, cleanse effectually and Give Comfort

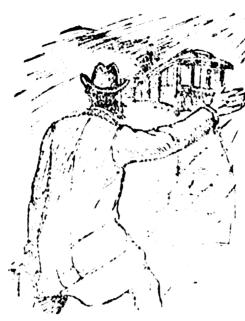
#### Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

#### GOT BACK AT HIM.

How a Drummer Surprised a Smart Colleague Who Was Fond of a Practical Joke.

"Know Jones, of course?" said the drummer, as he settled himself in a chair and lit a eigar, to a Detroit Free Press man. "Travels for a shoe house and considers himself the greatest practical joker on the face of the earth. His friends call him 'ente, and I call him a confounded misance. He is always seeking to make some one the butt of his wretched jokes, and no one is safe when he is around,

"Well, we met the other day on a train during one of those heavy snow-



died sidery not a home in sight, and the necrest hotel five miles away. I em corry that I wasn't able to bear what he said "

#### Porto Rico's Sulphur Baths.

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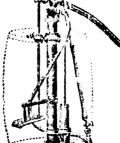
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Saturday night Otto Hopper met John Williams in a Brooklyn saloon. Williams wished to enjoy himself convivially because he expected to die in a few weeks from appendicitis. Invitations to drink were exchanged. The two men arranged a game of cards. A quarrel ensued and Hopper drew 3 knife. With a vicious stroke he thrust

knife to the hilt. "He's killed me!" yelled Williams falling to the floor. But Hopper had not killed him. He

at Williams' abdomen and buried the

had saved his life instead. An ambulance took Williams to the Eastern district hospital.

"I haven't a ghost of a show," Williams told the doctors. "It's no use. I was dying from appendicitis anyway, so it don't count," He was laid on the operating table

and the doctors examined the wound. They found that the cut was clean and two in Tennessee adding 2,500 tons straight. It had entered exactly at the | weekly right point, had neatly severed the vermiform appendix, and all that was necessary was to tie up the intestine, apply an antiseptic and put Williams to bed. He is now far on the road to recovery.

A Test. "Love," cried the poet, "love will con-

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SHORT SPECIALS.

Commandant Maximoff succeeds the late

Gen. Villebois-Mareuil in command of the

against Millionaire Sam Strong, of Crip-

Miss Helen Gould is besieged by thou-

While A. M. Rothschild's family were

The government of Ecuador has entered

several normal, model and kindergarten

Secretary of the Treasury Gage has de-

George W. Hull, an Arizona mine owner,

who was arrested in New York last Tues-

day on a charge of perjury in Rhode 1s-

J. Wesley Churchill Bartlett, professor

The strike among the 5,000 coal miners

the employes of the big sawmill plant of

the Athens Manufacturing company went

on a strike. They demand a ten-hour day

and the same pay that they have been

A special from Steubenville, O., says:

house and saloon, shot and killed his

wife. Horner locked the doors and defied

powered him in spite of his revolver. The

dilling is pronounced a cold-blooded mur-

Two bollers in the furnace department

of Liverside plant of the National Tube

om, any exploded, carrying the boilers

of feet and destroying three buildings

and boilers in the steel works and water-

works. Several workmen were injured,

two seriously. Three theusand workmen

will be thrown out of employment for ten

The navy department has signed a con-

ract with the Holland Submarine Tor-

medo Boat company for the addition of

ome of their boats to the navy. By the

terms of the contract the government pays \$150,000 for the Holland. It also

grees to pay \$175,000 each for any boats

if the Holland type it may purchase here-

TRADE PROSPECTS.

Commercial Agencies on the

Situation.

New York, April 11.-Bradstreet's says:

Backward spring weather conditions

trade reports this week, and, in connec-

tion with some weakness in prices of

leading staples, have imparted an appear-

ance of irregularity to the general situa-

tion. Another one of those downward

swings in the prices of agricultural

staples is exhibited this week in slightly

lowered prices for the cereals, partly be

cause of the bearish position of immediate

supplies and partly because of the better

than expected government crop report

which is taken to indicate a possible win-

ter wheat yield in excess of all records.

expectation of large yields of wheat, corn

and cotton. Corn and oats have sympa-

thized with the reaction in pork products.

which reaction, however, has not been

is at the highest point reached on the

iron and steel is at last bearing fruit. Pig

ago, but steel products have weakened

noticeably during the week. A slight up-

orders at furnaces would not be reckoned

in unsold stocks, the surplus owned by

consumers may be heavy. With No. 1 anthracite \$2 lower, reined bars \$4 and

steel plates \$11 per ton lower than in De-

number of the plate mills shut down, and

balancing five which started in March,

and 41 in Canada, against 22 last year."

About the Size of It.

arrest, but the officers broke in and over-

as rewards for officers.

ple Creek, Col.

gated \$1,548,502.

May, 1990.

and reader

160; assets, \$36,000.

miners or the owners.

receiving for 12 hours.

72 a res of and Good house and barn, William Horner, proprietor of the Park

off jewels valued at \$2,000.

of Mackinaw has gone out.

"Lincoln republican party."

foreign legion in the Boer army.

Secretary Root asks congress to estabiish six additional brigadier generalships President Loubet to Inaugurate the A special from Cheboygan, Mich., says the ice at the lower end of the Straits Exposition.

Silver republicans contemplate changing the name of their organization to the BUILDINGS FAR FROM COMPLETION.

Dr. D. K. Pearsons, of Chicago, will Notwithstanding This, the Presi give away \$500,000 to various small coldent's Eye Will Feast Upon Three leges to celebrate his eightieth birthday, Fine Views, Description of Miss Nellie Lewis has been awarded Which is Given. damages in \$50,000 for breach of promise

Paris, April 14.—The whole exposition space was covered last evening sands of applicants asking millions in with flickering lights, and hordes of charity. In one week the requests aggreworkmen were busily engaged in clearing away scaffoldings, packing cases and debris of every kind, which at dinner at their house, 3725 Michigan ivenue. Chicago, porch climbers carried still litter all the arteries of the exposition. This work was only to prepare a series of tableaux for the presiinto a contract for the establishment of dent to-day, as he will not enter the exposition buildings proper, but only schools, planned after those of the United inspect the edifices from the outside, for the excellent reason that the cided that the customs feature of the buildings, where finished, are thus far Porto Rico tariff and governmental bill mere shells, with searcely any exhibits goes into operation on the first day of to be seen anywhere. After M. Loubet's visit to-day these scaffoldings will be rebuilt and the interrupted work of installation will be resumed. The sucland in connection with a divorce case, was admitted to \$10,000 bail. cess of the inauguration ceremony will depend largely upon the weather toof sacred rhetoric and professor of elo-cution at Andover seminary, died at Anday, which happily promises to be fine. dover, Mass. He was widely known Otherwise the exposition grounds will become a veritable slough of despond. throughout the country as an elocutionist Fine Views.

At Des Moines, Ia., R. J. McKee was Despite the incomplete condition of appointed receiver of the Commercial Muthe exposition, President Loubet will tual Insurance company upon application of George A. Jewett, the typewriter manbe able to enjoy three splendid views ufacturer. Liabilities are stated at \$14,-The first is the view down the Champs de Mars from the Trocadero to the Chateau d'Eau, with artistic palaces in the Georges Creek (Md.) district, which on either side, and with the center bebegan on Wednesday, continued in full force with no indications of an intenstrode by the immense arches of the tion to yield upon the part of either the Eiffen tower. A special from Athens, Wis., says all

The second is the vista from the Champs-Elysees across the new Alexander bridge to the Hotel des Invalides, with the gilded dome of the tomb of Napoleon I, rising up at the farther end, and flanked firstly by an avenue of trees and then by white facades of handsome edifices in which will be collected the exhibits classed under the varied industries, these facades being embellished by groups of sculpture and by huge and effective paintings of allegorical subjects.

The third prospect is the scene looking along the Scine embankment, upon which are erected the national pa vilions of the foreign nations, each of which is a reproduction of some famous building typifying the national Detroit at 7.10 a. m., 12:05 p. m. and 5:30 p. architecture of the country it represents. The bright colors and diversified styles of these structures will present an unrivaled panoramic view to the occupants of the presidential barge on the voyage up the Seine from the Trocadero to the Alexander bridge. Will Grant Pardons.

M. Loubet has decided to celebrate ne manguration by pardoning al Synopsis of the Reports of Lending army and navy prisoners who are undergoing sentences for minor offenses. All sailors and soldiers are to receive a special ration of wine to-day. A list of about 50 decorations of the Legion of Honor, conferred upon French exhave figured considerably in distributive position officials, has been promulgated. M. Alfred Picard, the commissioner general, heads the list with the Grand Cross.

WILL NOT RESIGN.

Senator Clark, of Montana, Said to Have Decided to Fight to a Finish.

The crop outlook as a whole favors the Butte, Mont., April 14 .- A special from Washington to the Inter-Mountain says: "It is now certain that Senator Clark will not resign. The presuniversal, as shown by the fact that lard sure from his Montana friends and legal advisers is in favor of contesting to "Evidences accumulate that active misa finish. The Times says that Senators sionary work in favor of lower prices for Clay, Mason, Bacon and Heitfield will make a fight on the floor of the senate, iron is no lower and stocks as a whole are claimed to be no larger than a month claiming that a two-thirds vote is necessary to unseat him. They claim that the report of the committee does not ward swing in cotton is to be noted this sustain the direct charge of bribery week, and southern mills have officially advanced prices. On the other hand, against him. They will expose the while the mills are active on old orders character and plans of his enemies, new business is reported of smaller voland he will doubtless make a speech in his own behalf. This policy will pre-R. G. Dun & Co., in their weekly review of trade, say: Tron furnaces in blast April 1 produced 289,482 tons weekly. vent appointment by the governor, and may lead to the election of two reagainst 292,643 March 1, but unsold stocks publican senators, so a majority op- Sun. increased 2,280 tons. A mistaken inference, possibly fatal to many in its conseposition to delay is not expected. Sen- 5 is quences, is that stocks held by consumator Mason will conduct the fight for ing concerns must be running down. As they contract for their supplies months Clark. The latter has made no stateahead and such supplies whether delivered and not consumed or waiting their

Colorado River Flood,

Houston, Tex., April 14.- The Colorado river flood has now reached Wharton, and half the town is under cember, it can hardly be called impossible water now. So far there has been only for prices to yield, though many are so one casualty, a negro refugee being far firmly held. Pittsburgh reports a drowned in trying to reach the town. The people all got out of the bottoms five Pennsylvania and Ohio furnaces have stopped, perhaps for repairs, more than and flocked to the town, driving their cattle before them. There will be some suffering because of the large number to be cared for. The loss to crops is "Failures for the week have been 193 in the United States, against 188 last year,

Wolcott for Vice President. Colorado Springs, Col., April 14.—In its leading editorial the Colorado Jaggs-Texas is a great place for Springs Gazette strongly indorses Sensnakes. I once saw a green and yellow after Wolcott for the vice presidency. snake down there 70 feet long and as The Guzette is the only daily paper in Colorado that supported McKinley in Waggs-Well, I don't doubt it-but 1896, and it urges upon republicans the I'll bet you saw the whisky barrel be- wisdom of taking a man from the far fore you saw the snake,--Chicago Daily west for vice president, as the east is 'already numerously represented in the

Will Meet in Columbus,

Columbus, O., April 14.--1t was definitely decided Friday that the annual convention of the Theosophical society of this city would be held in this city April 29 and 30.

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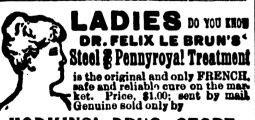
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CHAPTER I.—Ronald is the one promis-ing member of the Fanshaw household, un-appreciated by any of the others, save his brother David. The preceding summer he had saved the life of Evelyn, second daugh-ter of Col. Hasbrooke, the county's great-est planter, and whose splendid home was est planter, and whose splendid home was known as "Carnleigh."

known as "Carnleigh."

CHAPTER II. — At Carnleigh, James Hardy, a Charleston cotton merchant and suitor for the hand of Caroline, Hasbrooke's eldest daughter, and Capt. Winkle, an admirer of Evelyn, are guests Evelyn's school days over, Ronald meets her by chance, when she again thanks him for the fight he had made with the angry bull which had threatened her life. She is giad of rebuke he had given Winkle, but a few minutes before, who had condescendingly thrown him a coin for a little fishing built.

ishing balt.
CHAPTER III.—Ronald, returning home with his brother, is overtaken by the Has-brooke trap. Winkie, holding the reins, tries deliberately to ride Ronald down, the trap coming so near as to knock the basket in his hand to the ground. Ronald

basket in his hand to the ground. Ronald letermines to have satisfaction.

CHAFTER IV.—The first morning, with two revolvers in his pockets. Ronaid makes his way to a place where Winkle may be met. Winkle refuses to fight a man in Ronald's position in life. Ronald, bent on humiliating the coward, grasps him by the collar and combentiely cuts off the buttons and shoulder straps from his uniform. Winkle sheaks back to the louise. Evelyn, who had been gathering flowers, tells Ronald she had it en cave dropping. Serry for what he had done in abser, he gives her she luttonered shoulder samps, that they might be put again on the captain's coat.

CHAPTER V.-That light in the crew aby lost, p.m. abt. Wilker 25

a saying you was a virtees, and tools aving the feittons and should ristraps CHAPTIAN VI -- One July morning Royald finds a lynching part of A worn a has been murdered for her marry, and the uspect, caught with boods standed harowing considerable money, had a capal from the sheriff and known to be in home in the wamp. Young Fanshaw determines to lewart the main

CHAPTER VII -The mob leads the swamp, but Ronard goes from man to man, tryick to dissuade them from their par-bose of lynching the miles when captured Everyn learns of his noble course, and its to write a note of the suragement Languister, who has been made a confiltante, di approves, but compromises by ing such a note herself.

CHAPTER VIII-It is after cark when he furitive is finally enptured. Recald peaks to the crowd, and, on the protext of sal wing the crowd how small the part is, he lifts the lad to the saddle, who is ing himself thwarted, hires at the flecing figure, but Qavid keecks the gun large to or east up t Evelyn anxious? CHAI TRIX -At the breakfast table ture of a negro who has confessed to the killing of the woman, and Ronald Islands ly praised. Mrs. Lancaster, who had been struck by the resemblance of Rohad to ther lost husband, calls at the Fanshaws She learns of Ronald's love for Everyn, but also that on account of their different sta-tions in life, he has no hope of winning her

CHAPTER X proached. The cotton, ripered, burs of his cotton. The weather had been ber. He was trying to forget certain bulging from their sockets. thoughts about her which had beat pain over the announcement that she Lero.

was going away, he tried to look upon it as providential. There were other things, too, which Reports were continually filtering through the gossips to him to the effect that Sydney Hart had sworn to be revenged on him for having made him the butt of ridicule on the night of the attempted lynching. The newspapers had given considerable space to the matter, and the local correspondents, being unknown to Syd, dared to write what they would never have said to his face. They made him out even a more

desperate outlaw, if possible, than he was, and added a sting to these statements by making a great hero of Fanshaw, who was described as having every grace and virtue that could fall to the lot of one man. Moreover, a little parson, who was visiting in the neighborhood, and was told beforehand that Syd was in an adjoining county, had taken the affair as a topic for his discourse, and among other telegraphic rapidity, he said that Syd was a coward who was so much afraid of his shadow that he did his evil deeds at night. So when all these things had rankled for two months in Syd's mind,

his courage and get even by having it out with Ronald Fanshaw. One day Ronald was leaving the cotton gin, which was about a mile from the land he was renting, when Dave rode up on top of a big load of loose

cotton. "Hold on, thar, Ron," he called out, "I want to speak to you."

Ronald paused and Dave got down from the wagon and joined him. "Look heer, have you got anything to

shoot with?" was Dave's anxious ques-

"Not a thing." returned our hero; "why do you ask?" Before answering Dave drew his revolver from his hip pocket.

"Well," he said, as he proffered it, safe side. Syd Hart and Thad Williams mony, an' you bet I'll swear the truth." is in town, an' they are due 'long heer

a sifter out'n his damn carcass, an' he knows I meant it; but the sight c' you might make 'im rabid." Ronald hesitated, but, on being

urged, he took the revolver and put it nto his pocket. "I don't want any row," he said, setting his lips firmly, "but I will not be

shot down in a public road." "Now you are talking like a free born American citizen," said Dave, and he went off to unload his cotton.

Ronald had succeeded in banishing from his mind the unpleasant thought roused by Dave's fears, and had crossed the creek bridge and was within sigh of the dormer windows of Carnleigh when, down the descried road, he heard a man's voice singing a rotlicking song It was Sydney Hart's voice, and its muf fled quality indicated inebriation. He was still hidden from view by a sharp bend in the road, but a moment, later he came into sight, slowly riding along on horseback. He did not recognize Ronald till he was within some fifty yards of him. Our hero saw him rein in his horse suddenly and then whip out his overcomes the blues, berevolver. Ronald paused and put his hand on his own weapon, cocking it, while it was still in his pocket. He was, for the moment, conscious of no other feeling than the instinct of selfpreservation. Even then he hoped that his antagonist had drawn his revolve only in a spirit of drunken bravado But this hope was quickly put to flight by Syd's creet carriage and the steadi ness of his aim, which was now directed on him. Syd laughed harsliv.

"This is the moment that has bee sent in answer to my prayers," he sa deliberately. "Thar's been a sie! task about yore spank, but I never believed in it myself. Tve always krower yore liver war white. New, this terroad is entirely too narrow turne and you both to travel or. You lest go atto them that woods, ur I won't have a piece o vore careass big chough to bait

"I don't want to have any troub" with you, Hart," answered Ronald, who will not allow any living near, cruck or laborers rounded the bend in the road, the financial history of world's fairs, sober, to drive me from a public high-

barrel of the revolver steady itself, at 6 home to his fireside!" a blue pull of smoke rise from it, tollowed by a sharp report. Ronald heard the ball whistle by him. He drew has stepped lightly to where the lead dates, events and the like is remarkrevolver, and, crouching down in the man lay. Ronald turned to go. "I able, road, that as little of his body might be am going to give myself up to the exposed as possible, he began to hire, sheriff," he said, more to the staring coolly and rapidly. His every shot was returned by the dodgits man on the horse, which, frightened by the fire above and in front of him, backed into threatened Williams, with a growl. the low bushes that bordered the road | Ronald walked on. Under the conon the left. From believe these bushes Syd continued to fire, and wherever Ronald could eatch sight of him through the foliage he coolly directed his shots. Ronald did not know which of his last two shots had done the work, but suddenly he saw the horse plunge into the road without its rider and start The summer passed and the fall ap- down towards Carnleigh at the speed its bolis and whitehed on the brown mained where he was; his revolver was stalks till broad fields of snow lay on empty, and he did not know but that all sides of Carnleigh. For awhile Rote | Hart might be unharmed, hiding in amald had put aside his studies to super- bush waiting for him to draw nearer. intend the picking, hauling and ginning | At this juncture another horseman galloped up. It was Thad Williams, his favorable and he had made a good ercp. long stringy locks flying in the breeze, He had not chanced to meet Mrs. Land his revolver drawn, ready for use. He easter again after the day she had reined his horse in at a point in the road called, and about the middle of August | from whence he could see behind the he learned that she had gone back to bushes that obscured flart from Ron-Charleston. His informant also hinted ald's view. For fully a minute he sat that Evelyn was to follow her in Octo- astride his snorting animal, his eyes

"Damn you, you've done 'im!" he themselves into his heart during the said, with a deep breath, and he swung summer, and though he felt a sharp this revolver round till it pointed at our

> "Mine is empty," answered Ronald, 'I'm in your power."

With another oath, the stalwart felforced themselves upon his attention. low thrust his revolver into his belt and swang his right leg over the rump of his horse and stood on the ground.

> "You've killed 'im," he grunted, as he stepped towards the bushes; "dare to come nigh 'im, an' I'll let daylight through you!"

Ronald stood as if rooted to the spct. He had no desire to see the man who had fallen by his hand. A chill like that of death stole over him. He had killed a man--killed a man! Then his neart bounded suddenly-a little ray of hope burst upon him, for he heard Thad Wil liams' voice, low and tender: "Are you hurt, Syd, old boy? Say, old chum. come off; don't play tricks on me! There was a low monotonous response to this, and it continued for fully half a minute. Then Ronald heard a gut tural, labored coughing, and when it had ceased he knew that Sydney Hart was dead. Striding forward, he parted things which reached Syd with almost the branches of the bushes. He found Thad Williams holding the dead man's head on his arm, as he might have held that of an infant. "Is he dead?" Ronald asked.

The giant lowered the lolling head he decided that he could at once prove with its glaring eyes to the turf and looked at the speaker with a glare of

"He don't look like he's runnin' of a foot race, do he?" he sneered, and a sinister look took root in his face as he went on: "Me'n him used to stan by one another, but as you say yore ammunition is out, I reckon me'n you had as well not take it up. The law will atten' to yore case—it ort to make it hot

fur a cold-blooded murderer." "I shot him in self-defense," answered Ronald, averting his eyes from the repulsive sight.

"Self nothin'," sneered Williams. "Jest before he died he tol' me how it come about. He said you shot fust, an' that you said you had intended to slay 'im ever since that night at the swamp, "you'd better take this, an' be on the I reckor the court will take my testi-Leave orders corner Sixth and Terri- about now. Syd may pass you without them?" said Ronald, too deeply cago Daily News. "You are going to swear to that,

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"You won't, hey? Well, we'll see how his two hands. "I want one o' them you like lead pills." Our hero saw the thar wagons to take a dead comrade both backward and forward; the kings

alighted, and, stricken with horror, and her knowledge of Bible history, group than to Williams. "I did it in self defense."

"The court will pass on that: demning stare of his neighbors he felt



SWERED RONALD.

almost as if he had committed a deliberate crime. They gave way for him to pass as if his garments held the germs of death. Round the bend the strident voice of Williams held

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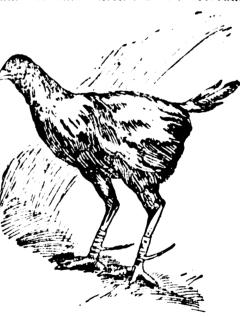
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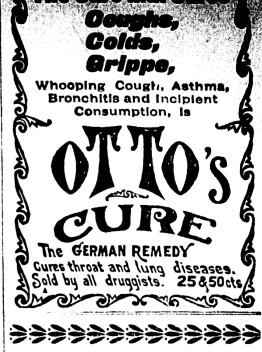
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AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Albion Wenell is sick at her mother's home on Mapie street. Editor Smith of the South Haven IT IS EASILY ADOPTED BY THE HOUSE Tribune was in the city yesterday.

Miss Bess Ritter, of South Bend, is visiting Rev. and Mrs. A. K. Beem. Atterney S. W. Barker of Grand Rapids is in the city visiting his par-

Fred Cogshall, who attends Ann Arbor university, is home for Easter

Harry Hinkley arrived home from Ann Arbor today to spend his Easter vacation. Mrs. Helen Conklin of Hartford, is

visiting her daughter. Mrs. Bert Babcock, Maple street.

Village Treasurer Phil Kephart, of Berrien Springs, attended the Con-Sell the hest meats gregational social at the home of G. F. Sonner last evening.

Miss Rose Keyes returned to Dowa-Rowe's old stand giac today, after a week's vacation from the  $\cdot$  hool room.

visit to his home in New York City. be resumed on the first Sunday in May. the state legislatures, respectively.

Dr. P. E. Witherspoon returned last Columbian cigars.

Mrs. H. A. Foeltzer arrived home

The S. G. H. M. met with Miss Clara served. A general good time is re-

The Ossoli met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. H. Kelley and enjoyed the following interesting and instructive program. The subject for the afternoon was Russia. Quotations on peace were given in response to roll call. "Russia in Asia and its relation to other powers," Mrs. S. H. Kelley: "The Government Reforms in Russia, its Police and Press," Mrs. H. D. Poole: "The Russian Army and Navy," Furnishing goods, Mrs. A. Enders: "The Czar's Peace Congress," Mrs. S. M. White: current events were led by Mrs. W. P. Harvey.

The music for the afternoon was in charge of Mrs. Otto Wilde and the club are greatly indebted to her for the pleasure of having Miss Lillian Hittel of the mu-ical department of the Benton Harbor college with them, who rendered in a most charming and delightful manner the following numbers "A Day Dream" by Stretezki. "Because I love you dear," by C. B. Hawley, "Little Boy Blue" by Nevin in response to encore.

Mrs. W. P. French, a former Ossolian, sent the club as an Easter gift a beautifully bound copy of "Bubbles," by Fannie E. Newbury. The ladies are very grateful to Mrs. French and will certainly enjoy the gift. Mrs. Newbury is a club woman and one of 110 Pipestone St. the foremost of Michigan's authors, pain in my back. I concluded to try having written the "Wrestler of Phil-"Impress of a Gentleman," and many other books. It is the hope of the Ossoli to entertain her in the near future. Next meeting of the club with Miss Sara Farmer.

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When 'things are "the best" they become "the best selling." Abraham Hare, a leading druggist of Belleville, O., writes: "Electric Bitters are the best selling bitters I have handled in 20 years. You know why? Most diseases begin in disorders of stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, blood and nerves. Electric Bitters tones up the stomach, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, purifies the blood, strengthens the nerves, hence cures mulitudes of maladies. It builds up the entire system. Puts new life and vigor into any weak, sickly, rundown man or woman. Price 50 cents. Sold by Lowe & Witherspoon, druggists.

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Mrs. Prescott has in training forty hildren for the Fairles' Tribunal to he given in Bell's opera house, May promoted to the position of commer-

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#### Special Men's Tailoring Department.

Today and tomorrow Friday and Saturday. Mr. Frank Alexander representing the Kahn Tailoring Co will make a splengid display of fine 114 Water St. woolens and take orders sumption. Geo. M. Bell & Co. and measures at our store for men's fine suits and overcoats. Silk vests, special pants, etc. for the coming spring of from Beaten Harber, near school and posts of summer wear. Gen-

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Constitutional Amendment for Election of Senators.

Full Text of the Proposed Amendment-The Day in the Senate-President McKinley's New Private Secretary.

Washington, April 14.—The house, by a vote of 240 to 15, adopted a resolution for a constitutional amendment providing for the election of United States senators by direct vote of the people. Fourteen republicans and one democrat voted against it. By the terms of the resolution the amendment to be submitted to the legislatures is as fol-

"The senate of the United States shall be composed of two senators from each state, who shall be elected by a direct vote of the people thereof for a term of rom the school room.

The Rev. Frederic Welham will one vote. A plurality of the votes cast leave on tuesday next for a two weeks! for candidates for senator shall be sufficient to elect. The electors in each state shall have the qualifications regulaite for Services at the Episcopal church will electors of the most numerous branch of

"When a vacancy happens, by death, resignation, or otherwise, in the reprewas away four weeks and sold 55,000 sentation of any state in the senate, the rame shall be filled for the unexpired term thereof in the same manner as is provided for the election of senators in parafrom Belvidere, Ill., yesterday after a graph 1: Provided, that the executive two weeks' visit with relatives and until the next general or special election, in accordance with the statutes or constitution of such state."

The remainder of the day was de-Field Friday evening. Games were voted to the consideration of private indulged in and light refreshments pension bills. During the course of the debate there were several sharp attacks upon Mr. Talbert (dem., S. C.) for his course in delaying action on

#### WHAT IS THE USE.

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Mrs. Earl is seriously ill at her home.

#### April Showers

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DINNER Oysters on the Half Shell. Beuillon in Cups. Crisps. Potted Birds. Lettuce Salad with Sheed On-

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Sliced Tomatoes. Sardine Sandwiches. Lemon Jelly. Ginger Ale.

CREAMY OMELET .- Separate the whites and yolks of three eggs, whip the white until it will stand by itself. Mis the yolks and add to the beaten white; also quarter of a teaspointial of salt, a shake of paper of and four tablespointials of cream or milk. Pour the mixture into a hot omelet pain that was previously buttered. With a fork, loosen the cooked eag from the center and let the uncooked egg run under. When the content is of our feet or when the content is of our feet or when the loosen the cooked egg run under. omelet is of a soft creamy consistency, place it over a hotter part of the fire and brown i slightly. Fold in the usual way and serve at once. Eggs should never be cooked until just before using, as they get tough very 

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BREAKFAST Stewed Apple Sauce. Molded Cereal and Cream. Tongue, Toast. Sliced Cucumbers. Gmham Gems White Bread. Green Tea.

LUNCHEON. Mock Oyster Stew. Banana Salad. Pumpernickel Sandwiches.

DINNER. Cream of Dried Pea Soup. Lobster a la Somerset. Celery. Tomato and Lettuce Salad.
Tropical Snow. Lady Fingers.
Cheese Straws.
Coffee.

BANANA SALAD. - Prepare a dressing BANANA SALAD. — Frepare a gressing made from the following ingredients: Three tablespoonfuls of sugar, six tablespoonfuls of sherry, one tablespoonful of maraschino and two tablespoonfuls of champagne cider. Mix thoroughly until the sugar is dissolved. Peel and cut into thin slices six bananas, Peel and cut into thin slices six bananas, pour the dressing over them and stand in a cool place two hours before serving. Another very good salad dressing is made from four tablespoonfuls of granulated sugar and quarter of a teaspoonful of cinnamon mixed together, eight tablespoonfuls of sherry and two tablespoonfuls of madeira. Stir constantly until the sugar is dissolved. 

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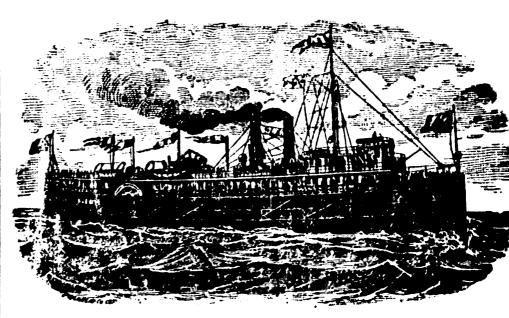
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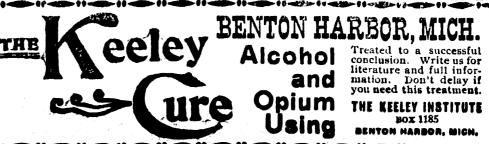
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